

THE RALEIGH NEWS.

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RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA, WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 14, 1877.

PRICE: \$5.00.

GRAIN AND FEED STORES.

J. OSBORN'S

GRAIN AND FEED STORE.

A GOOD SUPPLY OF

Horse and Cow Food, Grain,

Hay, Flour, Meal,

WOOD AND COAL.

LOW FOR CASH.

Office and Feed store corner of Wilmington

and First streets, near Graham House,

and west of N. C. Freight Depot. Jan 14/77

AMUSEMENTS.

TICKET OFFICE.

PROF. POLLARD'S

Celebrated N. O. Jubilee Singers.

Will appear before the citizens of Raleigh

on the 14th and 15th inst. at 8 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

Evenings, Feb. 14th and 15th.

Admission 50 cents. Free for the poor.

Reserved seats, 75 cents.

General Admission, 50 cents.

Children, 25 cents.

Seats open at 7 o'clock. Slipping commences

at 8 o'clock sharp.

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THE CITY.

The Daily News is served by faithful and

reliable carriers to all parts of the city for 12

cents per week. Persons desiring to have

the paper left at their residence will please

call on the carrier at the office, No. 6 Martin

street.

THE WEEKLY NEWS HAS THE LARGEST

CIRCULATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, AND IS THE

MOST VALUABLE MEDIUM OF ADVERTISEMENT

FOR A STRICTLY "FARMERS' TRADE."

THE RALEIGH NEWS IS THE OLDEST

DAILY NEWSPAPER IN RALEIGH, AND HAS THE

LARGEST DAILY CIRCULATION IN NORTH CARO-

LINA, AND MORE THAN DOUBLE THAT OF ANY

OTHER DAILY IN THE CITY OF RALEIGH.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—The Jubilee Singers to-night.

—March-like winds are on the town.

—This, too, is St. Valentine's

Day.

—Attention is directed to the new

advertisement of Messrs. M. T. Norris

& Co.

—The Washington gentleman who

does the weather feature of the nation,

prophecies rain for to-day.

—Bishop Atkinson will preach in

Christ Church next Sunday morning

and in the Church of the Good Shep-

herd on the evening of the same day.

—The tax collector of Pender

county, is in the city, it is supposed for

the purpose of settling his taxes. The

Legislature extended his time and he

got behind even this. He is the last

to settle.

—It was the clerk of the Superior

Court of Pender county, and not Davis

who sent 15 cents to the State Treas-

urer, as the amount of the fines and for-

feitures collected by him last year.

—The book-stores were crowded,

yesterday, with sentimental bodies who

were selecting naked angels to send to

their goddesses, and by sneaking fel-

lows who were searching for the most

horrible caricatures with which to

lampoon enemies whom they feared to

approach openly.

—The Lenten season,

which always immediately precedes Lent,

and to-day, is Ash Wednesday, which

whereas in the solemn Lenten season,

as is known to all christian people, this

season lasts for the space of forty days,

and is observed in commemoration of the

forty days during which our Lord

and Saviour fasted on the mountain.

—The Lenten season is observed with great

solemnity by the Catholic, Episcopal

and other churches in this country, and

during the time of its continuance, ser-

mons will be regularly held on week

days in St. John's Catholic Church of

this city, and also in Catholic Church

and the Church of the Good Shepherd.

There will be mass in the Catholic

Church this morning at 9 o'clock, and

services in Christ Church and the Church

of the Good Shepherd at 11 A. M., and

at 5 P. M.

—Lent is immediately followed by

Easter Sunday, which commemorates the

resurrection and ascension of our

Redeemer, and is a day, as all know,

which is celebrated with great pomp in

all the catholics of the world.

—Another Company Coming.

Tucker Hall has been engaged Fri-

day and Saturday nights for a company

from John T. Ford's Baltimore Theatre,

of which M. V. B. Wachtel is business

manager. No agent has yet arrived,

but we are led to believe that the com-

pany is the one which is starred by

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

SESSION OF 1876-77.

SENATE.

Tuesday, Feb. 13.

The Senate was called to order at 10

A. M. Mr. Robinson in the chair.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vaughan, of the

city.

The reading of the journal of yester-

day was dispensed with.

PETITIONS, &c.

By Mr. Stidney: A petition from

citizens of Tarboro, asking the repeal

of the tax on drummers. Committee

on Finance.

By Mr. Johnston: A petition from

citizens of Madison county, asking pro-

hibitory liquor laws for certain local-

ities in that county. Committee on

Propositions and Grievances.

Reports were submitted from various

standing committees, all of which were

appropriately referred.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLU-

TIONS.

By Mr. Cahoe: A bill to amend chap-

ter 37, Battle's Revision. Committee on

Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. York: A resolution of instruc-

tion to the committee on the State Debt.

Calendar.

By Mr. Sandifer: A resolution creat-

ing a special committee to divide the

State into judicial districts. Calendar.

By Mr. Seales: A bill to amend the

chapter of the laws of 1875, relative to

the county of Johnston. Committee on

Propositions and Grievances.

CALENDAR.

Bill to lay off a public road in the

counties of Davidson and Davie, was

taken up and informally passed over.

Bill to prohibit the sale of liquor in

any township where the people may so

determine, was taken up, amended and

passed its several readings.

Bill to perfect titles to lands sold un-

der decrees of courts of equity, was taken

up and passed its readings.

Bill to authorize the commissioners of

Graham county to levy a special tax to

build a bridge across the Tuckasee

river, was taken up, read its third time

and passed.

Bill to levy a special tax in the county

of Tyrrell, was taken up and passed.

Bill to amend the constitution of the

State, relative to the completion of the

Cheraw and Salisbury Railroad, was taken

up.

[Gives to the road 30 convicts to be

used until the 1st of April, 1878.]

The bill passed its several readings.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Bill to be entitled an act to regulate

the practice of dentistry in North Caro-

lina, came up as the special order.

[Makes it necessary for any one pre-

posing to practice dentistry, to first get

a license from the North Carolina Den-

tal Association or a committee thereof,

unless he holds a diploma from some

dentical college.]

Mr. Seales hoped that the bill would

pass.

Mr. Nicholson took the floor in op-

position to it. He held that the bill was

opposed to every principle of law and

was unconstitutional in its character.

He assented to the legislation asked for

as unprecedented and he hoped the bill

would not pass with the usual powers

now contained in it.

Mr. Sandifer favored the bill. He

thought there was nothing unconstitu-

tional in the bill, and saw many reasons

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Tuesday, Feb. 13, 1877.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M.,

and was called to order by Mr. Speaker

Price.

Prayer by Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.

D., of the city.

The journal of yesterday read and ap-

proved.

PETITIONS.

Mr. King presented a petition from

certain citizens of Stokes county in re-

gard to Justices of the Peace issuing

warrants. Committee on Propositions

and Grievances, asking a stock law.

Mr. Shackelford presented a petition

from certain citizens of Stump Sound

township, Onslow county, in regard to

the sale of liquor. Committee on Cor-

porations.

Mr. Parish presented a petition from

certain citizens of Durham in regard to

free trade. Committee on Finance.

Mr. Maule presented a petition from

certain citizens of Wake, asking the incor-

poration of the town of Forestville, Wake

county. Committee on Propositions and

Grievances.

Mr. McCubbin presented a number

of petitions from citizens of Rowan and

Cabarrus counties, asking a stock law.

Committee on Propositions and Griev-

ances.

Mr. Moye presented a petition from

certain citizens of Lenoir county in re-

gard to certain citizens of Martinsburg.

Propositions and Grievances.

Mr. Purnell presented a petition from

certain citizens of Wake, asking the incor-

poration of the town of Forestville, Wake

county. Committee on Propositions and

Grievances.

Mr. Pinnix presented a petition from

merchants of Lexington, asking the re-

peal of the purchase tax law. Commit-

tee on Finance.

Mr. Penell presented a petition from

certain citizens of Pender county asking

that the Legislature take no steps towards

